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Applicants:

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For

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NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER'S DECISION
TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES AND PETITION
FOR ADDITIONAL ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board from the decision of the Examiner mailed April 23, 2002 finally rejecting pending claims 6, 8, 10, 12-15, 29-32 and 34-37 in connection with the above-identified application.

On September 23, 2002, applicants requested a two-month extension of time for responding to the April 23, 2002 Final Office Action. Applicants hereby request an additional one-month extension of The fee for the additional one month time for responding. DOLLARS (\$520.00). AND TWENTY is FIVE HUNDRED Applicants enclose a check for EIGHT HUNDRED AND FORTY DOLLARS (\$840.00), which amount includes the \$520.00 extension fee and the \$320.00 Notice of Appeal fee. A response to the April 23, 2002 Final Office Action is now due October 23, accordingly, this Notice of Appeal is being timely filed.

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No fee, other than the enclosed \$840.00 sum, is deemed necessary. However, if any additional fee is required, authorization is hereby given to charge the amount of such fee to Deposit Account No. 03-3125.

Respectfully submitted,

hereby certify that correspondence is being deposited this date with the U.S. Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed fo:

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